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ALLOW SCENE CONTENT ANNOTATION OF  
GROUPS OF PICTURES IN A PICTURE  
DATABASE TO PROMOTE EFFICIENT  
DATABASE BROWSING

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Enclosed are:

1.  Specification  
2.  Sheet(s) of drawing(s)  
3.  Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97.  
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Pursuant to Rule 53, the above-identified application, enclosed herewith (including specification and claims), is being filed without a signed declaration or assignment in the names of the inventors, Prasad V. Prabhu and Andrew J. Cowell. The declaration and assignment will be filed later.

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